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French Advance Again is Report

(Continued from page One.)

Italy Remains Neutral.

By United Press.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Italy will remain neutral "unless vital interests are imperiled," according to the new Italian ambassador, Count Cella, who talked with the leading Italians in Rome recently.

Austrian Warships Fired.

By United Press.

Trieste, Oct. 15.—The new Austrian dreadnaught which was scheduled for launching this afternoon at the Austrian government shipyard was mysteriously fired and gutted.

Six new torpedo boats were also found afloat and were severely damaged before the fire was extinguished.

Welsh Form Corps.

By United Press.

London, Oct. 1.—(By mail to New York.)—A Welsh army corps is to be formed at once. This was definitely made known today when it was announced that a meeting is to be held here soon of leading men to plan the formation. Lord Kitchener has given his sanction to the plan which was first suggested by Lloyd George.

An executive committee with a chairman will be appointed for the work of carrying out the recruiting. Unless now in course of formation will be absorbed by the corps which will take in all of Wales and Monmouthshire.

Girl is Wounded.

By United Press.

Paris, Oct. 15.—With a convoy of wounded just brought in here, was a pretty work girl named Eugenie, who, attired in baggy red trousers and a red "chechia" had followed a Zouave regiment from her home town of Haguenot, and with rifle on shoulder had

marched thirty miles a day with the soldiers. She was under fire at the battle of the Marne, where she was wounded. She is to be sent back home but swears that she will get to the front again.

Queen Visits Refugees.

London, Oct. 1.—(By mail to New York.)—The queen, attended by members of her suite and by Herbert Samuel, president of the local government, paid a visit yesterday to the headquarters of the Belgian refugees at Aldwych and the great encampment at Alexandra palace. Her majesty took a great interest in the plans that are being carried out for providing for the comfort of the refugees. She talked with many of them, expressing her sympathy for their state. A company of Belgian Boy Scouts acted as her escort at the encampment.

Shelling is Fierce.

By United Press.

London, Oct. 1.—(By mail to New York.)—Some almost unbelievable practices in fighting are reported in a letter just received here from an officer in the brigade guards. He said:

"We are at the present time enduring a most damnable shelling. Five minutes ago the head of a shell finished up between me and the adjutant. I have it now in my haversack. We are in a fairly safe position, but it is not pleasant. Yesterday was a terrible day. We had to gain ground through a wooded, horseshoe shaped hollow. Eventually we got up and found the enemy in a horseshoe position.

"We pushed on, when all of a sudden the foremost Germans all over the field advanced. They were either waving white flags or had their hands up. Instead of taking no notice, the men got up as if the battle were over. I shouted myself hoarse, telling them to go on fighting. It was of no avail and in five minutes or less a second line of Germans came over the sky-line and began firing at us. The men were

then in groups. We got a line formed and opened fire. Some of our own men were in front and of course we tried to avoid them.

"In one case a German officer ordered young —, who was wounded, to be shot. This was witnessed. I believe this officer was killed after this. We held our ground till night and many Germans surrendered."

LARGE SUM IS SOUGHT

Drawing to a close today in the district court is the case of George Pugh vs. The Frisco railroad, wherein the plaintiff asks damages to the amount of \$12,000 for an injury which he states he received in Lawton through the negligence of Frisco employees there.

The case was commenced yesterday and today the defense started with their direct testimony, which was followed by rebuttal by the plaintiff. Pugh stated on the stand that because a flagman at a Frisco crossing in Lawton failed to warn him, the horse he was driving became frightened, threw himself, his wife and baby from the buggy and so injured him that he has lost the use of his right arm.

He states that as his vehicle approached the crossing, box cars obstructed his view of a switch engine and string of box cars operating in the yards. The cars, he stated, were bumped into other cars standing on the siding near the crossing with such a great noise that his horse was frightened, causing the accident, and had the flagman warned him of the approaching cars the accident could have been prevented.

Flagman Frey on the stand stated that in his opinion at the time of the accident, there was no necessity of a warning being given. He was in his shanty, he stated, and saw the respective locations of the train and the horse and buggy, but thought there was no danger. The case will probably be closed this afternoon.

The jury: F. L. Dolby, R. C. Duckwall, R. S. Murray, Louis Tucker, J. R. Osborne, R. L. Cence, George Wells, C. M. Carter, R. W. Davidson, Lee Coffey, R. M. Lunsford, Guy Kenyon.

NEW RATES EFFECTIVE

By United Press.

Washington, Oct. 15.—Drastic and sweeping reductions in express rates for the entire United States, recently ordered by the interstate commerce commission, became effective today. Also effective at once the express companies are ordered to revise business methods. The latter order the commission declares is designed to "safeguard the public." It simplifies the claim of shippers when disputes arise and disposes of red tape methods.

Rate reductions range all the way from 10 to 60 per cent, foodstuffs drawing the principal reductions.

The new rates are to be "experimental" for two years, the commission announced. Unless it is shown that the express companies suffer too great a loss of revenue the rates will eventually become permanent. The commission ruled that the express companies can effectively compete with the government parcel post and with sufficient efforts and reasonable rates can offset any losses.

A Billion.

A billion is one thousand millions—1,000,000,000. Beginning with the right hand cipher you say: Units, tens, hundreds, thousands, tens of thousands, hundreds of thousands, millions, tens of millions, hundreds of millions, billions, etc.—and you have it.

Really Time Ill Spent.

Each man's mind is an unknown land to himself, so that we need not be at such pains to frame a mechanism of adventure for getting to undiscovered countries.—Samuel Butler.

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KENDRICK IN CAMPAIGN

Bridgeport, Okla., Oct. 15.—Senator C. B. Kendrick of the Ardmore district, spoke here yesterday after a meeting at Hinton in the afternoon. The senator was in splendid form and his interpretation of the issues of the campaign was well received. He commenced his address at 8 o'clock and had a fine reception, a large number of representative people being present to hear him. Senator Kendrick discussed national administration issues and gave to the people his ideas concerning the relationship between local and national issues. Senator Kendrick also launched into the state government issues, and without passion explained them by them the statements of John Fields. He explained that Fields had taken at random statements he has made concerning the attack on the Democratic state administration and showed the fallacy of the charges which have been promulgated by the Republican campaign committee. Mr. Kendrick gave one of the strongest speeches this community has heard, and his statements concerning state government were supported by the records of the state, which he outlined page by page.

Has Many Narrow Escapes in Battle

By United Press.

London, Oct. 1.—(By mail to New York.)—Lieut. A. C. Johnston, well known as Hants county's premier cricketer, is beginning to believe he bears a charmed life. He has been sent home wounded from the front, but he said he considers himself mighty lucky to be even alive. He had many narrow escapes from death.

The day before he was wounded the nose of a shell hit a well six inches over his head. Shortly after the bullet hit the ground a half yard ahead of him, glanced up and hit him on the body, only bruising him. Then a bullet hit him over the heart, but it was "spent" and he picked it out of his breast and sent it home to his wife as a souvenir. His final escape came while he was sitting on the steps of a house. Half the building was blown up and he was not even touched.

"I had a narrow escape. A shrapnel bullet cut through my coat over the left shoulder. It knocked me down on it hurt a bit but no real damage was done. No infantry appeared in front of us, but the gun fire is most disagreeable. We slept on the battlefield all night. I believe things are going well."

Pickpocket Trust Exists, Says Judge

By United Press.

Chicago, Oct. 15.—The city council committee on crime, delving into the causes for the existence of bands of pickpockets, ran squarely up against the charge today that a "pickpocket's trust" is operating with these omivivants of the police. Municipal Judge W. N. Gimmill said that such a condition has existed for years in Chicago and Municipal Judge John R. Newcomer supported the charge made by Gimmill.

"There are between 300 and 600 known pickpockets in Chicago," said Judge Gimmill. "Four lawyers defend them all. They are regularly hired by the organization of pickpockets and three bondsmen seem to sign all the bonds for pickpockets arrested."

"Every crook who 'plays the game square' can get a bondsman without difficulty, but that's only the beginning of the work of the pickpocket's trust. Complaining witnesses often change their testimony; and in one case a woman was even induced to replace a stolen pocketbook in her husband's coat to save a pickpocket from conviction."

"Some policemen are profiting by the system. They are paid by the organization, just as immoral women pay for protection by the police."

"Professional alibis, selection of

friendly juries and things of that sort are well known games with the pickpocket's organization. Then they always have friends at the city hall to fall back on. In courts where I have been sitting I have seen an assistant prosecutor non-suit several cases at once after a telephone conversation with 'headquarters' at the city hall."

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Same to Kenneth Johnson Edwards, \$10; lots 2 and 3, block 20, Scott Jones addition to Chickasha. Jno. C. Lewis, sheriff, to Frank B. Leland, \$500; lots 11, 12, 13, 14, block 84, Chickasha.

Ell Potts to Alice R. Butterly, \$900; SE SE NE, N 1/4 SE SW; SE SW SW, section 19-9-6. C. and C. Nations to James H. Bruce, patent; NW NW SW 15-9-6. Jennie Walcott to Floyd Kimble, \$1500; lot 4, block 8, Williams addition to Tuttle.

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